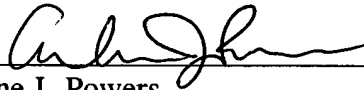


**REMARKS**

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted in order to provide the appropriate Abstract and to cancel the previously elected group of claims in the parent application.

Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

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